

## SUCCESSFUL REPRODUCTION

Hemingford Drama Club Rendered "On the Little Big Horn" Saturday to Large Audience

(By Herald Correspondent)

Hemingford, Nebr., March 25 — The play "On the Little Big Horn" which was repeated Saturday night met with marked success. Not a hitch marred the entire performance. Each actor did his part exceptionally well. David Rhoades as a scout was the star of the evening. With his natural way and his voice he took his part well. Rev. Palmer as Gen. Graham made an exceedingly good commanding officer. Clell Addy as Major Ludlow played his part well. Rupert Walker as Lieut. Winston, and his love making was indeed interesting. Willie Walker as War Eagle took his part fine. Alex Verhusen as Bill Hanks made a good telegraph operator. Miss Burgh Walker as Rose of the Mist carried her part out well. Miss Dollie Pierce as Beryl, a New York girl, added much to her popularity by good acting. Mrs. Peterson as Sue Graham met with marked success. Mrs. Palmer as Mrs. Spencer, a head-strong woman, carried her part to perfection. A. E. Clark as the villain was the most successful person of the evening. His action and speech carried his part out fine.

Browne Church left for Aurora on Sunday. He has for some time past been employed in the Journal office but lately resigned and has now gone to visit his sister.

Ora Phillips of Marsland visited friends between trains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe were Denver visitors Friday and Saturday. While there Mr. Wolfe visited the optician. They returned home Sunday.

Carl Spacht made his usual visit to Alliance Sunday.

The high wind Wednesday broke several windows in and around town, also damaging a silo. School was dismissed on account of shattered window panes.

Mr. Cadbury, traveling salesman for Ginn Book Co., was in town Monday and Tuesday showing his supplies.

Geo. Jenkins who has been visiting for the past three months in California, Washington, and Oregon returned Saturday. He reports having a fine time and that the weather was nice and warm. He brought with him several specimens of rocks and shells. Some of these stones are very queer and interesting.

Miss Irene Addy, Pyril Wagor and Ethel Price were Alliance visitors between trains Saturday.

## IN HONOR OF THE DEPARTED

Funeral of Louis Buchsenstein, Sunday Afternoon, Attended by Many People

An immense concourse of people assembled at Holy Rosary Catholic church Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral service held for Louis Buchsenstein, who departed this life last Thursday night, and a sketch of whose life was published in The Daily Herald of Friday. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery near Alliance. The deceased had been a member of the Catholic church about two and one-half years and was given the rites of the church in the funeral and burial.

Orders of which Mr. Buchsenstein was an honored and popular member attended the funeral, namely, Modern Woodmen of America, Royal Highlanders and Knights of Columbus. The members of the Alliance Volunteer Fire Department also attended in a body to show their respect for the man who was considered the father of the department.

Rev. Fr. Donnelly, pastor of the church, conducted the service and delivered a funeral sermon that was very impressive and was listened to with intense interest. He spoke on the subject of the Christian's faith, using as a text, Heb. 11:3, "Without faith it is impossible to please God."

Following is a synopsis of Fr. Donnelly's discourse:

St. Paul said in the eleventh chapter and 6th verse of this epistle to

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## CANDIDATE FOR CLERK

Burlington Man Enters Race for Office of City Clerk with George Snyder

Emery Cornu, clerk in the office of the master mechanic at the Burlington headquarters, has entered the race for the office of city clerk at the coming election. This makes two men in the race for the office of city clerk, Mr. Cornu and George Snyder, whose petition was presented several days ago. Mr. Cornu is well known and has many friends.

## SANDERS IS BURIED HERE

Scottsbluff Man Who Died Thursday of Last Week Buried Here on Monday Afternoon

The body of Louis F. Sanders, who died in a local rooming house Thursday afternoon, was interred in the cemetery Monday afternoon. There were no relatives here at the funeral service, which was held by Rev. Torrence. A brother and sister live in Canton, Illinois. They instructed that burial be made here.

Mr. Sanders homesteaded the land on which the town of Scottsbluff is built. He spent most of his life in Scotts Bluff county, selling out his interests there and retiring last summer.

## COUNTY PAYS OVER \$6,000

County Pays Bonding Company the Money Due on Finishing Pouring Second Floor Slab

Mr. Sinclair, representing the Omaha Bonding Company, which is held responsible for the construction of the court house, was in Alliance on Tuesday. The payment of \$6,000 due from the county was paid over to him and by him turned over to Mr. Campbell, who is doing the construction work. This payment was due as soon as the second floor concrete slab was finished. Construction is going ahead at a rapid pace.

## MISSIONARY PROGRAM

Interesting Program Arranged for Special Missionary Meeting Sunday Evening

The missionary program at the Baptist church Sunday evening was enjoyed by a crowded church. The program was full of interest and a successful one.

Below is given the program Prelude. Song—The Morning Light Is Breaking.

Prayer—By Pastor.

Quartet—Give Thanks.

The song of our Syrian guest—Mrs. Laing.

Violin Solo—Prof. Darrow, accompanied on piano by Miss Smith.

Life of Adoniram Judson, in two parts:

Part I—Mrs. Beans.

Solo—Prof. Anderson.

Part II—Mrs. Maey.

Storyette—Sybil Barrett.

Song—Mrs. Cross' Class.

Paper—Mrs. Julia Boone.

Benediction.

## FIREMEN'S CLOTHING

Denver Firm Calls Attention of Firemen to Fine Line of Clothing Handled by Them

The Julius Pearce Fire Department Supply Company of Denver call attention of fire departments in this issue of The Herald to the fine line of clothing for firemen handled by them. Departments who are in need of supplies of any kind will do well to confer with this company before purchasing.

The little son of Will McCoy was operated on at the hospital this morning by Dr. Slagle. The little daughter of Mrs. Ellis Young was operated on also.

## ASSISTED THE TEXAS FAMILY

Texas Man and Family Sent to Relatives Near Sheridan—Help by Kind Hearted Persons

Thomas Perkins and family, from Amarillo, Texas, who arrived in Alliance Tuesday morning without funds or transportation to proceed to Sheridan, Wyoming, near where Mrs. Perkins has a wealthy uncle who promised to provide them with a home, were furnished transportation by kind hearted persons and left on train number forty-one early this morning.

Perkins vainly tried to get work for his wife and two small children. The story of their plight in Tuesday's Herald brought the attention of kind hearted people to them and brought them the much needed relief.

## Moved to Lewellen

Last week Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Freed moved to Lewellen, Nebr., where he is working for the Union Pacific railroad. The Herald will continue to keep them posted on Alliance news.

## Staying on "The Diggings"

Mr. and Mrs. James Fee call their homestead twenty miles southeast of Alliance "The Diggings". While Mr. Fee works in the railroad shops Mrs. Fee holds forth at the claim, coming to town on Saturday to assist Miss Bessie Brown who has charge of the Sugar Bowl candy kitchen in Mrs. Fee's absence.

## Mrs. Currie Returns

Mrs. C. A. Currie returned Monday noon from Broken Bow, where she has been for several days with relatives.

## On Trip East

John W. Thomas, editor of The Herald, left Tuesday evening on a short business trip to the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. Harry Gantz has returned from Omaha to visit her mother, Mrs. Mitchell, a couple of weeks.

## AN IMPROVED FARM TRACTOR

Hackney Auto Plow, "The One-Man Outfit", Rapidly Supplanting the Heavy Tractors

An advertisement of the 1914 model Hackney auto plow, which appears in this issue of The Herald, will interest many readers in western Nebraska who have been studying the subject of developing agriculture in this country. This machine is manufactured by the Hackney Manufacturing Co. of St. Paul, Minn. Lininger Implement Company, Omaha, are distributors for Nebraska.

A great deal of good work has been done, especially in the newer portions of the country, by the heavy farm tractors, but it is claimed that the lighter machine is superior for all-around work, while doing breaking just as well or better. There is no doubt that traction power is cheaper than horse power for farm work where it can be conveniently applied. The Hackney people claim to have solved the problem of making the power machine practicable on the farm. Men who are thinking of ordering a farm tractor may find it to their interest to investigate the Hackney. Particulars may be secured by writing Lininger Implement Company, Omaha.

## Going South

Mrs. Philip Nohe left Thursday night for Colorado Springs, where she will visit relatives for three or four days. From Colorado Springs she will go to Houston, Galveston and other points on the Texas gulf coast. She will be gone three or four weeks.

Mrs. R. Simmons is in Lincoln on a business trip.

## GAVE VERY UNIQUE PARTY

Mrs. Vance Entertains Ladies of W. C. T. U. on Birthday of Fannie Crosby

Mrs. J. J. Vance entertained Tuesday afternoon the ladies of the W. C. T. U. who helped quilt. A unique feature of the entertainment was when slips of paper were given to the guests, numbering from one to thirty-six. The hostess went to the piano and played four notes of different songs. Guests were to guess the names of the songs and write the answer on the slip of paper. The songs were thirty-six of the many hundred composed by Fannie Crosby, upon whose ninety-fourth birthday the party was held. There was also a geographical contest.

Dainty refreshments were served. The guests were Mesdames J. V. Reed, Phelps, Bignell, Lawrence, C. C. Smith, Keegan, Beck, Schaffer, J. W. Thomas, H. S. Thomas, J. C. McCorkle, Bundy, Gentry, Will Lotspeich, W. B. Young and Ackerman.

## MARRIED

Miss Undine S. Moore and Mr. Carl H. Roeky were married Friday March 20, by County Judge L. A. Berry. Mr. Roeky is an electrician at the Burlington shops and his father is an engineer on the Burlington. Miss Moore has been attending the Alliance schools for a number of years and is very popular with the younger set.

## WIN FIRST IN SPELLING

Eldest Sons of T. J. Threlkeld Win Out in Old Fashioned Spelling School in Missouri

The two eldest sons of T. J. Threlkeld who went to Brookfield, Missouri, to visit with relatives some time ago, have won distinction there as being the champion spellers of the county, which is large and thickly populated. The schools in that county entered county contests in old fashioned spelling contests. The boys were in different grades and each won first place in the county in his grade.

## PRAIRIE FIRE NEAR LAKESIDE

Prairie Fire Starts During High Wind—Stopped Only by United Efforts of Forty Men

A prairie fire which started during the high wind at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, ten miles east of Alliance near Reno, burned over four sections of fine grazing land before it was stopped by the united efforts of forty men who came from all directions. If the men had not worked so well the fire might have covered many miles of territory and done serious damage.

Someone had been burning weeds in the morning before the wind sprang up. Thinking that they had put the fire entirely out they left it. When discovered the flames were sweeping south and east at a rapid rate. A schoolhouse in the path of the fire was filled with children. Fortunately a phone was in the schoolhouse and the teacher was notified in plenty of time to get the children out and away from the path of the fire.

The fire was stopped by plowing in its path. The land which was burned over was winter pasture.

## CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The executive committee of the Commercial Club held a special session at the office of the president, J. W. Guthrie, Thursday evening. The results of the canvass for members were reported, showing seventy-four names already signed up and promises of more, assuring the total of one hundred desired.

Mallery, Sallows and Guthrie were appointed a committee to report on the proposed by-laws at the meeting to be held Monday evening at which all members are asked to attend and complete the organization.

## WILL RAISE

Promoters of New Building at Panama-Pacific Exposition Want Subscriptions

A letter was read to the executive committee of the commercial club Thursday evening from the promoters of the proposition of constructing a Nebraska building at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915. The sum of \$50,000 is asked for, to erect the building. The proposition as outlined in the letter was to ask the different counties to subscribe their share in the above sum, the shares to be apportioned according to the taxes paid by the counties.

The share for Box Butte county, if the proposition was accepted, would be approximately \$234. Prominent business men of the counties are to be asked to sign a note for this amount, the notes to be discounted at the banks and then forwarded to the state treasurer, to be held by him and paid for by the state in case the next session of the state legislature should appropriate the sum subscribed.

The sum of \$150,000 was asked at the last session of the legislature but was turned down. Whether the sum of \$50,000 would be considered too large by the next legislature is a question. The state should undoubtedly be represented by a building at the exposition. The only question is whether the money should be raised in this way or by public subscription.

## HOGS TOP THE MARKET

Hogs Shipped by Angora Man Bring Top Price First of Week in Denver Market

Angora, Nebr., March 26—W. V. Dove shipped a car of hogs to Denver the first of the week, that topped the market. Mr. Dove will go to Broadwater Friday to buy cattle.

Mildred Dyson of Bridgeport was an Angora visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brubaker were Alliance visitors Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Miller went to Alliance the first of the week to see Mr. Miller at St. Joseph's hospital.

Pearl Lawrence has the measles, and has been very sick the past week.

Dr. Bartholemew is in Angora again on business.

Postmaster H. J. Walsworth went to Bridgeport Tuesday on business.

Banker Lovenburger of Lincoln is in Angora this week on business.

Hazel Morey is out again, after a serious struggle with measles.

Mrs. Ed Brubaker is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Harman.

Dick Powell went to Bridgeport Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom King returned Tuesday from a business trip to Alliance.

Pat King has a new automobile—a Cadillac.

Larson, the lineman for the Burlington, was in Angora Monday and Tuesday.

## BUFFALO BILL IS COMING

Manager Dubuque of Crystal Arranging to Secure Buffalo Bill Historical Pictures

Manager Harry Dubuque of the Crystal is arranging to secure the wonderful Buffalo Bill Historical pictures which were acted on the Pine Ridge agency, on the Wounded Knee battlefield. There are eight reels in the set and they show the battles of Wounded Knee, Summit Springs and War Bonnet. It will make the greatest pictorial attraction ever brought to Alliance and will cost a big sum of money.

The pictures are now showing in Omaha, the show continuing there another week to handle the large crowds who come to see them.

## EXCELLENT SMOKER HELD

State President Rotholz of Eagles Is Compelled to Return Home by Sickness of Wife

The Eagles had the largest meeting held in several months at the club Tuesday evening, when a special meeting was held and several new members initiated. State president Rotholz received a long distance telephone call during the evening, informing him that his wife was ill. This compelled him to take the midnight train for Omaha, necessitating cancelling other engagements which he had for points on the Northwestern line.

The smoker was enjoyed by all. The Aerle is in a prosperous condition and rapidly growing.

## Return from Trip

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ellis returned Tuesday from a business trip to Omaha. They went east on Wednesday of last week.

## MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Special Meeting at City Hall Monday Evening Considered Applications for Sidewalks

A special meeting of the city council was held at the city hall Monday evening for the purpose of considering requests for new sidewalks, establishing of grades, etc. Other routine matters were considered.

The petitions for candidates for city offices should be filed with the city clerk not later than Friday, in order to insure getting them on the ballots, in accordance with the law.

## COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Official Minutes of Meeting on Monday with Representative of Bonding Company

Alliance, Nebr., March 23, 1914.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to the call of the clerk; officers present, C. L. Haahman, chairman, and S. C. Reck.

The meeting was called for the purpose of conferring with Mr. P. S. St. Clair, representing the National Fidelity and Casualty Co., of Omaha, Nebraska, relative to the payment of the third estimate on the court house contract.

Mr. P. S. St. Clair filed his power-of-attorney, as follows: March 21st, 1914.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This will introduce the bearer, Mr. P. S. St. Clair, who is at this time sent to Alliance to represent this company in connection with the Box Butte County Court House bond executed by this company.

He is authorized to make an arrangement between Box Butte County, Mr. William Campbell of Grand Junction, Colorado, who is carrying on the work on this building, or his duly authorized agent, Mr. George E. Mason, and this company, for the receipt and disbursement of the funds to be derived from the performance of the contract, of which \$6000 is now due from Box Butte County.

In connection with the \$6000 now due, he is authorized to receive the same and disburse it for such items of material and labor already used in this building, as in his judgment should be paid at this time.

In testimony whereof the National Fidelity & Casualty Company has caused this instrument to be signed by its President, attested by its Assistant-Secretary and its corporate seal hereto affixed, the day and year above written.

NATIONAL FIDELITY & CASUALTY CO. By David W. Armstrong, Jr., President.

Attest: Nye F. Morehouse, Assistant-Secretary.

The following claims were examined and allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the building fund for their payment.

C. H. 12, Rose & Peterson Association, services . . . . . \$5000

T. L. Hopkins Sr. was appointed Road-Overseer in and for Running Water precinct, Box Butte county, Nebraska, and duly authorized to act as such Road-Overseer upon filing the required bond and subscribing to the required oath.

Whereupon the board adjourned until Thursday morning March 26th, 1914.

M. S. HARGRAVES, Clerk.